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FIGHTING FACTIONS.

Serious Political Riot in Ballinakill, Ireland.

A NUMBER OF PEOPLE INJURED.

Michael Davitt Among Those That Were Hurt—Fire Destroys a Dublin Hotel. The Chinese Government in Desperate Straits for Money—Various Other Foreign News.

BALLINAKILL, Dec. 17.—The troubles between the Parnellites and McCarthyites resulted in a free fight at this place yesterday. A meeting was arranged in the interest of Sir John Pope Hennessy, the McCarthyites' nominee, which was to have been addressed by Mr. Davitt and Dr. Tanner.

Mr. Davitt, accompanied by Father O'Halloran, arrived in the City Square and addressed the crowd. There were cheers and counter cheers, and various partisans from the members of the various factions and much disorder. As Davitt began his speech on a wagon with William Redmond and Father Ryan and other Parnellites drove up to the lower part of the place. Redmond began speaking simultaneously with Davitt.

Another crowd headed by Mr. Tanner and several priests also appeared on the scene about the same time and the confusion was indescribable. In the height of the uproar Mr. Parnell and a large party of his supporters made their appearance. They were greeted by shouts of "Tally-ho the fox, behind Kitty's skirts," and other offensive cries from the anti-Parnellites, while the Parnell faction replied with equally violent attacks upon their enemies.

Angry speeches were made on both sides and the passions of the audiences were roused to the highest pitch by the language used by the speakers. Finally the Parnellites made an attack upon the opposite faction. The McCarthyites made a spirited defense, led by Mr. Davitt, Dr. Tanner and a number of priests who were at the meeting. In the melee that followed many persons on both sides were injured. Among those who were hurt was Mr. Davitt, who received a severe wound on the head at the hands of one of the Parnellites. The attack of the Parnellites was finally repelled.

The police finally dispersed the combatants. The Parnellite party drove to Castlecomer and Davitt and Tanner soon made [illegible] the latter place also. The [illegible] began to address open air meetings, dilating upon the events that had just occurred at Ballinakill, and asserting that Mr. Parnell had brought a mob of hirelings to [illegible]. Mr. Parnell's carriage, while passing was hooted and Davitt sent word to Parnell that if he would come and [illegible] him Davitt he would give him a peaceable hearing. Mr. Parnell replied: "I am not in a position to [illegible]; I am only in a position to [illegible]."

Parnell then addressed a small audience for several minutes. At the end of his speech his carriage was driven away, but [illegible] started some miscreant [illegible] of lime at Parnell. It struck him in the face, and to Davitt's [illegible] blinding him and causing great pain. After [illegible] he was obliged to alight at a house [illegible] in a fainting condition. A doctor was called, but could do little to assuage the pain, and he urged that Parnell should be driven immediately to Kilkenny for proper treatment.

The start was made but Mr. Parnell was unable to endure the agony and another stop had to be made at a hotel on the road, where another doctor endeavored to relieve the sufferer by applying castor oil to his eyes and attempting to scrape off the lime with the point of a lead pencil. Some slight relief was thus afforded, but Mr. Parnell finally reached the Victoria hotel in Kilkenny, where he had to be led to a room, being unable to use his eyes. A surgeon was summoned, who states that all the lime is removed from the eyes, but that Mr. Parnell is still suffering greatly and will probably be disabled for a time. He anticipates that the results will not be serious.

Imperial Government Hard Up.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Private advices from Pekin state that the imperial government is in desperate straits for money, but hesitates to accept the offers of many millions from capitalists who have gone there from all parts of the world to obtain the handling of a Chinese loan. It is said that Li Hung Chang holds Japan up as a horrible example to the emperor whenever the latter shows signs of a desire to call upon westerners for assistance. The Japanese people have steadily declined in comfort and prosperity since the introduction of so-called reforms, and though a number of prominent men are getting wealthy, the masses are in a lamentable condition. Whether this is due to the [illegible] of foreign adventurers [illegible] the Chinese statesmen [illegible] so regard it, and [illegible] not likely [illegible] China's policy [illegible] be abandoned.

Hotel Destroyed by Fire.

DUBLIN, [illegible]—The Royal hotel at Kilkenny [illegible] was destroyed by fire [illegible] the fire started [illegible] and on awakening [illegible] cut off [illegible] the proprietor [illegible] escape by [illegible] hotel keeper seized [illegible] to a window [illegible] and the [illegible] crowd of spectators [illegible] in his arms [illegible] then sprang [illegible]. A girl [illegible] window and was so [illegible] that she cannot recover. Ladders were finally placed and the other occupants of the hotel were rescued uninjured.

Rioters' Trial Postponed.

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—The trial before the assizes at Nenagh, of the persons charged with rioting at the opening of the conspiracy trial in Tipperary, has been postponed, owing to the inability of Mr. Dillon, counsel for the defense, to appear. Mr. Dillon is suffering from the effects of a recent accident.

Poor Holland Between Two Fires.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Advices from Paris state that the French government is bringing much pressure to bear upon Holland to prevent that country from acceding to the agreement of the powers permitting the Congo Free State to levy import duties. The time for acceding will expire on the 1st of January. The motive of France is to render it impossible for the Congo Free State to meet expenses, and thereby compel the state to sell out to France, which has a first claim to purchase. The British government, on the other hand, is resorting to threats, more or less disguised, to compel Holland to sign the treaty.

Labor Troubles.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The threatened strike of cotton operatives at Bolton has been averted, the employers conceding an advance of wages. Seven hundred employes of the plush works at Bradford have struck against a reduction of wages made necessary by the McKinley tariff. Three hundred more will strike tomorrow, and 400 at the end of the week.

Suppressed United Ireland Suppressed.

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—Counsel acting for the adherents of Mr. Parnell have applied for, and the court has granted, an interlocutory injunction restraining the publication of Suppressed United Ireland, the first edition of which the McCarthyites issued Monday.

From Prison to Politics.

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—Father Fahy, of Woodford, Galway, has just been released after serving a six weeks' term of imprisonment for an offense against the crimes act. He at once proceeded to Kilkenny where he will advocate the election of Mr. Vincent.

France's Exports and Imports Decreased.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Returns issued by the French board of trade show that during the month of November the imports decreased 6,972,000 francs and the exports decreased 54,136,000 francs, as compared with the corresponding month last year.

An Economic Move.

BERNE, Dec. 17.—The Argentine Republic has decided to withdraw its minister from Switzerland and close its legation in this city. This is done for purposes of economy.

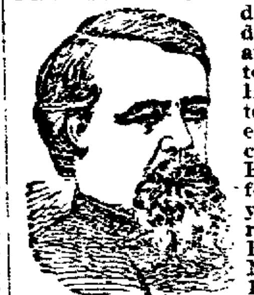
Anarchists Expelled.

BERNE, Dec. 17.—The expulsion of six Anarchists from Geneva has been ordered by the government.

DEATH OF GENERAL TERRY.

He Follows Closely After His Old Enemy, Sitting Bull.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 17.—Maj. Gen. A. H. Terry, U. S. A. retired, died at his residence in this city at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. Heart failure due to Bright's disease was the cause of death. He has been ill for over two years. Gen. Terry was born at Hartford, Conn., Nov. 10, 1827. He graduated from Yale, studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1848.



GEN. TERRY

He became clerk of the court of New Haven in 1854 and continued in that position until 1860. At that time he commanded the Second Connecticut regiment, and he marched with it to the war. He figured in a number of engagements and during 1862 he commanded the forts on the Atlantic coast of Florida. In March, 1862, he was made brigadier general. From May to December, 1864, he commanded the corps. Early in January, 1864, he carried Fort Fisher by assault at the head of the first division of the Twenty-fourth corps, aided by Commodore Porter's fleet.

On Sept. 1, 1866, he was mustered out of the volunteer service and put in command of the Dakota department in the military division of the Missouri. He served in the Indian war of 1876-77 against the hostile Sioux, who were under command of Sitting Bull. In March, 1886, after the death of Gen. Hancock, Gen. Terry was made a full major general. At the time of his death he was 64 years old.

A MOTHER'S AWFUL ORDEAL.

Compelled to Watch Her House Burn, Knowing Her Children Were Perishing.

SAGINAW, Mich., Dec. 17.—The particulars of the burning of the home of Louis Holnazet and his two children Sunday are very sad. The family were all out, and upon the mother returning she found the house in flames. The fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to enter the house, and the mother had to stand without and hear the cries of her children grow fainter and fainter, until death overtook them. After the fire had burned itself out an entrance was effected and the charred remains of the two children, aged [illegible] and 1 years, were found.

Not Pope.

CANTON, Ont., Dec. 17.—The man arrested yesterday and supposed to be William H. Pope, an embezzler of Louisville, Ky., turns out not to be that individual. Walter Conrad, a bank official, arrived here and pronounced the prisoner not the man wanted.

NATIVES OF ALASKA

Their Condition Reported to the Senate.

THE SUPPLY OF FOOD CUT OFF.

Sheldon Jackson, General Agent of Education in Alaska, Sends in His Promised Report—Proceedings of the House and Senate—Other Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The acting secretary of the interior sent to the senate yesterday a report of Sheldon Jackson, of the educational bureau, general agent of education in Alaska, relative to the impoverished and destitute condition of the natives of that country consequent upon the destruction of of their sources of livelihood by the whaling fishery, seal hunting and walrus hunting industries, and suggesting the establishment of an agricultural and mechanical college and the instruction of the natives in the rearing and management of the domestic reindeer to be introduced from northern Europe and eastern Siberia.

Professor Jackson proposes that we at once establish a sort of an agricultural and mechanical college, one that will be entitled to the $15,000 donation under the recent act of Aug. 30, 1890, and introduce through this colleges of instruction in domesticating the reindeer of Lapland and Siberia to the end that these people shall not only support themselves and take a step in civilization, a step from the grade of wild hunter to the grade of herdsmen who live on domesticated cattle, and besides this furnish an article of exportation and commerce.

It seems that the whole region is filled with moss meadows, tundra, along the Arctic sea, which is the very food which the reindeer requires. The wild tribes on the Siberian side of the Behring sea are thriving with their enormous hosts of reindeer. It only needs that the United States revenue marine shall, under direction of proper authority, purchase enough reindeer to commence the experiment station and obtain some of the more intelligent natives to furnish instructors in the college. Once started the business would grow to gigantic proportions, and the most serious problem that threatens Alaska will be solved. It is interesting to note that the governments of northern Europe lay a tax of $1 per head on the reindeer owned and derived nearly $500,000 from that source.

Postal Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The house committee on postoffices and post roads has ordered favorable reports on the following bills: Senate bill extending the privileges of the free delivery of the mails to cities having a population of not less than 3,000 persons, or where the postoffices have shown a gross revenue of $5,000 for the previous fiscal year.

Senate bill to provide for the return of second-class mail matter. The bill provides that unsold or undelivered second-class matter, after it has been once mailed at the pound postage rate, when returned by mail to publishers, news agents or others, shall pay postage at the rate of one cent for every four ounces or fraction thereof.

Senate bill amending the revised statutes by requiring assistant postmasters, as well as postmasters, to give bonds. The postal telegraph bill was also called up, and after some discussion was made a special order for Jan. 6. The bill was postponed at the request of members of the committee who were absent and those who expect to leave Washington for the holidays.

Gold Coin Measure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The house committee on coinage, weights and measures met yesterday and elected Mr. Wickham, of Ohio, chairman. The bill introduced in the house by Mr. Carter, of Montana, to amend the act of May, 1882, authorizing the receipt of gold coin in exchange for gold bars was ordered favorably reported. The act is amended to read as follows: "That the superintendent of the coinage mints and of the United States assay office at New York may, with the approval of the director of the mint, but not otherwise, receive United States gold coin from any holder thereof in sums not less than $5,000, and pay and deliver in exchange therefor gold bars in value equaling such coin so received. Provided, that the director of the mint with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, may provide for such exchange a charge which, in his judgment, shall equal the cost of manufacturing the bars."

In the Senate and House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The senate yesterday passed the Morgan resolution calling for information about moneys paid John I. Davenport, as supervisor of elections. A communication from Mr. Davenport asking that charges made against him in the senate be investigated was referred. Mr. Dolph's resolution inquiring whether the right to vote had been abridged in any of the states was discussed without action. Speeches on the election bill were made by Messrs. Morgan, [illegible], and Dolph. In the house a resolution for a holiday recess from [illegible] to Jan. 5 was [illegible] by Mr. [illegible]. The apportionment bill was then [illegible] discussed at length. An agreement was had that a vote on it shall be taken after two hours debate today.

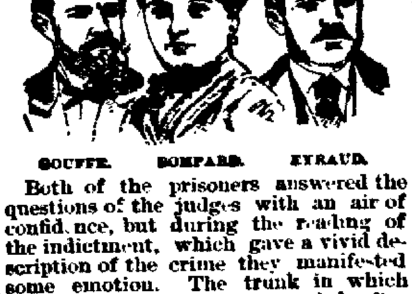
The Cabinet on the Indian War.

WASHINGTON, [illegible]—The cabinet [illegible] the Indian situation [illegible] to the [illegible] from Gen. [illegible] determination [illegible] by [illegible] action. [illegible] Blaine, [illegible] and Noble were absent.

SENSATIONAL TRIAL BEGUN.

Eyraud and Gabrielle Bompard Being Tried for Murder in Paris.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—The trial of Eyraud and Gabrielle Bompard, for the murder of the police agent Gouffe, began yesterday at the assizes. The audience was largely made up of wealthy and aristocratic persons whose influence had gained them admission, thousands of less fortunate others being turned away. Eyraud was calm. He was stylishly dressed and wore his frock coat closely buttoned. The Bompard woman was attired very neatly in a dark gown and jacket, with a sealskin toque.



GOUFFE. BOMPARD. EYRAUD.

Both of the prisoners answered the questions of the judges with an air of confidence, but during the reading of the indictment, which gave a vivid description of the crime they manifested some emotion. The trunk in which Gouffe's body had been concealed after the murder was displayed on a table in court. Eyraud's answers to the interrogation of the court revealed the fact that his career had been a shady one. At an early age he was an inmate of a reformatory. At 19 he enlisted in the army and was among the troops who accompanied Maximilian to Mexico, but he soon deserted, joined the guerrillas under Juarez and betrayed the position of the French forces. For this, having been recaptured, he was court martialed and sentenced to be shot, but was pardoned and allowed to return to France, where he entered upon a career of doubtful adventure.

When the subject of his relations with Gabrielle was touched upon, Eyraud declared that he was not responsible for the woman's immoralities. In fact, he asserted, he had attempted to turn her from them. The president of the tribunal retorted by reading the police record to show that when a gentleman had offered Bompard £2,000 to become his mistress, Eyraud had accepted her suggestion that the money be taken and devoted by them to dissipation together. When Eyraud was called upon for his testimony he threw the blame of Gouffe's murder upon Bompard. He said that she proposed to kill and rob the bailiff, buy a trunk and conceal the body in it.

Eyraud went on with great coolness to describe the fatal affair.

He told how Gabrielle was fondling the unsuspecting victim at the moment when the noose was thrown around his neck. The noose was attached to a pulley behind a curtain and when it was tightened, Gouffe soon ceased to struggle. He could not cry out and life was extinct in a few minutes. The body was placed in the trunk and removed.

Bompard being interrogated in her turn declared that the crime was entirely of Eyraud's devising. He worked out all the details and by his influence over her compelled her to bear her part in carrying out the nefarious plot. Gabrielle testified that she bought the trunk in London for the purpose of packing linen in it. She declared that Eyraud enticed Gouffe to her room and she was ignorant of his murderous intention at the time. The trial was then adjourned for the day.

A PREHISTORIC MONSTER.

Remains of a Gigantic Animal Unearthed Near Berlin, O.

MILLERSBURG, O., Dec. 17.—While workmen were digging a ditch on the farm of Abraham Brushel, near Berlin, this county, in order to drain what was once a lake, but now a marsh, they came across the skeleton, or part of one, of a monstrous animal. One section of vertebra was ten inches from point to point, and the cavity that once contained the marrow in the vertebra was large enough to admit an ordinary man's fist; one short rib was nearly three feet long; two claws showed a length of seven inches. Reference to the books proves that this animal's name is megatherium, or great clawed beast, a gigantic extinct quadruped, nearly allied to the sloth, and when full grown attains a length of from 18 to 30 feet, and a height of from 7 to 9 feet. The parts found will be taken to the state university at Columbus for examination, and in the meantime search will be made for the balance of the remains.

Old Army Officer Dead.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 17.—Assistant Surgeon General Perine, U. S. A., died in this city Monday. He served forty years and retired in 1875.

Senatorial Contest in Idaho.

BOISE CITY, Idaho, Dec. 17.—At noon yesterday both houses of the Idaho legislature began balloting for United States senators. The number of votes in both houses is 54, necessary to a choice, 28; number of Republicans, forty-four. Democrats, ten. The senate vote stood: Dubois, 4; Shoup, 3; Claggett, 2; McConnell, 4; Stevenson, 4. In the house: Dubois, 13; Shoup, 5; Claggett, 6; McConnell, 5; Stevenson, 6. Both houses then adjourned. The deadlock, as anticipated, has occurred and can only be broken by the Democrats or a dark horse.

Escaped Train Robber Recaptured.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 17.—Scott McDaniel, the leader of the train robbers who held up a Cotton Belt passenger train near Texarkana last October, and who was subsequently captured, tried, found guilty and sentenced to a life term of imprisonment, and escaped on Dec. 4, by sawing out of his cell, was recaptured Sunday, at Columbus, by the sheriff of Colorado county. The prisoner passed through here yesterday on his way to Austin.

OHIO STATE NEWS.

Items Gathered Especially For Buckeye Readers.

FATE OF THREE PRISONERS.

Their Lives Hanging in a Balance, and Unless the Governor Interferes There Will Be a Triple Hanging in the Ohio Penitentiary Friday Morning.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 17.—Governor Campbell yesterday heard the arguments of attorneys in behalf of Isaac Smith, condemned to die in the penitentiary annex Friday morning. It is believed that the governor will not let Smith hang at that time. He has expressed nothing definite to the public, but those on the inside are confident he will either commute the sentence to life imprisonment or pardon him. He will do so on the ground that there are many reasonable doubts in the case, but principally because the chain of circumstances has been broken in so many places.

Elmer Sharkey and Popp, the Canton murderer, are sentenced to hang at the same time. The governor states that while he has reached a decision in all three cases he will not announce it just yet. It is generally thought that Sharkey and Popp will certainly hang, while Smith's chances of escaping the gallows are by no means certain.

Died in His Own Coffin.

CANTON, O., Dec. 17.—Barney Frickes, a well known character of Alliance, died yesterday morning in a coffin. For twenty years it has been his custom to sleep every night in a coffin of his own manufacture. Twenty years ago, believing he was about to die, he made a casket and every night since has slept in it, robing himself in a shroud before retiring. The coffin is of oak, very strong and covered with allegorical subjects. Frickes was 75 years old. A severe illness and death of his wife twenty-five years ago is believed to have unsettled his mind. He had a small income.

Buckeye Tobacco.

DAYTON, O., Dec. 17.—Leaf tobacco has been in case and some stripping was done, but farmers need another good spell of moist weather to allow them to get into the sheds again. The usual holiday dullness is the feature of the tobacco situation now, and, besides that, farmers as a rule do not care to sell until they can reap the benefit of the new tariff. Three hundred cases of 1889 Ohio seed leaf sold in New York last week at eight and three-fourth to ten and a half cents, and 200 cases of 1889 Zimmer's Spanish at twelve and a half to fifteen cents per pound.

New Incorporations.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 17.—The following articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the secretary of state yesterday: Cambridge Chair company, Cambridge, $50,000; Mohican Mutual Aid association, Cincinnati; W. W. White company, Dayton, $75,000; Buckeye Detective association, Van Wert; Perry Township Law and Order League, No. 8, Brookville; Rubel Herman company, Cincinnati, $50,000; Cleveland and Lake Side Steam Navigation company, Cleveland, $40,000; Jefferson Lodge, No. 90, of Free and Accepted Masons, Middletown.

Powder Mills Blown Up.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 17.—At noon yesterday the press mill of the Ohio Powder company, located four miles north of the city, blew up, killing James Kurl and William Lewis. Parts of both men were found a half mile from the scene of the explosion. Richard Webb and James Dickson were seriously injured. Over 6,000 pounds of powder exploded. The building was demolished. Loss, $10,000. Sixty employes were at dinner at the time or the loss of life would have been terrible.

A Thief Assaults Himself.

NELSONVILLE, O., Dec. 17.—John Lynn, a laborer, has been arrested for stealing $65 from his landlady, Mrs. Summers. He hid the money in the back yard and returned to his room where he was found unconscious from self-inflicted wounds. He gashed his arm and battered his nose to make believe that he had been assaulted and robbed.

Guyer School Book Law a Failure.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 17.—In his report to Governor Campbell, the superintendent of printing, Leo Hersh, pronounces the Guyer school book law a failure, and makes a lengthy statement as to why it is impracticable for the state to furnish school books.

Requisition Honored.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 17.—The governor yesterday honored a requisition from the governor of Illinois for the return to Springfield, that state, of Dr. A. J. Yager, who is wanted for larceny and who is now under arrest at Springfield, O.

New Trial Refused.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 17.—The supreme court has refused a new trial for Stanley Jones, the Lake county murderer.

Guilty of Assaulting a Policeman.

LOGAN, O., Dec. 17.—Clint Collumber found guilty of assaulting Policeman Tom Mays with intent kill.

John Teemer.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 17.—John Teemer, the well known oarsman, with his wife and family, has been missing from McKeesport for two weeks past. Recently he disposed of his personal effects, furniture, etc., and told his brother that he was going to New York. He cannot be found there, however, and his brother thinks he has gone to Australia to row Kemp, McLean and Stanbury.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THAT INDIAN BATTLE.

It Was Fiercely Fought by Both Parties. Fears of Further Trouble.

STANDING ROCK AGENCY, N. Dak., Dec. 17.—The fight at Sitting Bull's camp occurred at 6:45 a. m. Monday, and for half an hour was of the most desperate character. Bull had been informed of the coming of the Indian police, and he and his immediate followers were fully armed with Winchester rifles, scalping knives, revolvers and clubs.

The Indian police did not get an opportunity to demand the old medicine man's surrender, but firing began from the Indian tepees immediately upon the appearance of the officers, and three of the latter were killed outright, two wounded so seriously that they died before they could be moved, and three others slightly. The police then opened fire upon the savages, at the same time dispatching couriers to the rear to bring up the cavalry under Capt Fouchet.

Sitting Bull started to run up the river and was captured, but his followers made a desperate effort to rescue him, and he was shot twice, once in the left shoulder and again on the right of the heart. Bull's son, Crow Foot, was killed, together with Black Bear, Catch Bird and from five to seven others.

The firing was heavy and deadly; nearly every man who was hit was killed.

It is not known whether the shot that killed Sitting Bull was fired by the charging party or by one of the police. The son of Sitting Bull was slain almost at the first volley of the police. The hostiles fired with deadly accuracy, and slowly drove the police from the field. If the cavalry had not come at this time it is probable that the force would have been annihilated.

The soldiers were quick to enter into the action. A skirmish line was thrown out, and then, kneeling and firing as they advanced, the troops with the machine guns playing over their heads, poured a withering fire into the savages. Sitting Bull's body, which had been abandoned by the police, was secured, as well as that of his son, and will be taken to Standing Rock. After the fight was over the followers of the dead chief struck out at a killing pace for the Bad Lands. The battle, the news of which is still meagre, will doubtless inflame the entire Sioux nation.

Sitting Bull's followers when they fled up the Grand river left behind them all their tents and their families, which were taken possession of by the soldiers and will be returned to the agency. After going a short distance up the river, the fleeing Indians scattered and went off in all directions through the country toward the Bad Lands. Some of them will probably try to reach Two Strike's band farther south, while others will seek an escape to the north.

However, there is little chance for them in any direction. The soldiers are located all around the Bad Lands and the Indians will have little chance to get at the few ranches that are located in that district. The hostiles are completely surrounded, and while they may hold out for some time in the Bad Lands, it is simply a matter of time when they must surrender to the superior forces and supplies of the whites.

The cavalry at this point had received orders to start at 3 o'clock this morning, but Gen. Miles wired orders to wait and see the effect of Sitting Bull's death on the Indians here. No one knows just when the troop will move, but they are kept in constant readiness to start. A lively time is looked for when the Indians hear of the fate of their great leader. Gen. Brooke, however, scouts the idea that there is the slightest danger of a local outbreak at the agency.

A party of reds, estimated at 150, escaped up the Grand river.

The point at which the battle occurred is forty-two miles below the agency, and information is necessarily meager and conflicting.

A Battle Reported.

DENVER, Dec. 17.—A News courier from a camp near Daly's ranch has the following from Rapid City, Dak.:

A rancher has just arrived in great haste to our commanding officer and reports a command of cavalry attacked and two officers and fifty men killed, but the Indians were repulsed with heavy losses. The number of Indians killed not known. The Indians were put to rout.

This report is probably credible. It is not known whose command it was. It is probably that of Maj. Tupper, of the Sixth cavalry, and his three troops of 140 men. Our command marches to their assistance at once.

Great Fears of Serious Trouble.

BISMARCK, N. Dak., Dec. 17.—The country round about here is terribly wrought up over the killing of Sitting Bull. Instead of creating an easy feeling it has aroused much apprehension. It is feared that many families of settlers will feel the vengeance of Sitting Bull's followers. Sitting Bull's son who was killed was a bright youth, only 12 years old. It is expected that the settlers will flock to Bismarck and Mandan by the roads as soon as the news of Sitting Bull's death is known.

THE MARKETS.

Review of the Stock Money and Cattle Market for Dec. 16.

Wall Street.

Money on call easy at 4@5 per cent.

Exchange steady; posted 480@484; actual rates 478½@478¾ for sixty days and 482¼@483 for demand.

Governments steady; currency sixes 100 bid; fours coupon 122 bid, four-and-a-halfs do 103 bid.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

The following were the closing figures;

Atchison	29⅞	L. & N.	73¾
C. B. & Q.	80	Mich. Cent.	83
C. C. C. & St L.	57¾	N. Y. Central	98¾
C. & O.	14½	Northwestern	103
Del. & Hudson	121¼	Ohio & Miss.	20¼
D. L. & W.	127½	Rock Island	70⅜
Erie	18⅝	St. Paul	50⅜
Lake Shore	105¾	Western Union	75¾

Indianapolis.

CATTLE—Shippers, $1.25@4.80; butchers, $1.60@3.00; bulls, $2.00@3.15.

SHEEP—$2.50@4.50, lambs, $4.25@5.50.

HOGS—Choice heavy, $3.30@3.50; choice light $3.15@3.52, mixed, $3.35@3.50; pigs, $2.75@3.00.

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—95@$1.00.

CORN—50½@56.

WOOL—Unwashed fine merino, 17@18c; ½-blood combing, 23@25c, medium delaine and clothing, 23@25c; braid, 17@18c, medium clothing, 2[illegible]@[illegible]c, fleece-washed, fine merino, X and XX, 28@29c; medium clothing, 30@31c.

CATTLE—Good to choice butchers, $3.30@3.65; fair to medium, $1.75@2.50; common, $1.00@1.70.

HOGS—Selected butchers and heavy shipping, $3.50@3.60; fair to good packing, $3.25@3.45, common to rough, $2.80@3.20; fair to good light, $3.10@3.30; pigs, $2.75@3.30.

SHEEP—$2.25@5.00.

LAMBS—$3.00@5.75.

Pittsburg.

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THE Cleveland World contains this suggestive paragraph:

The Farmers' Alliance that expects to do such wonders toward the reformation of American politics has chosen for its first senator a murderer.

THERE is still one more week for the mysterious airs between parents and children. But there isn't so much mystery after all. The average youngster is quite a mind reader just before Christmas.

WORD comes from Mansfield of the formation of a suspender trust. This is scarcely anything new. There has always been more or less trust placed in suspenders, especially when pantaloon pockets are heavily filled.

No one wishes to detract one whit from Stanley's fame, but it seems that his high priced lectures do not fulfill all expectations. The newspapers rather modestly intimate that he might be more interesting. It may be added in justice to Stanley, however, that all extremely high priced lecturers are disappointing.

ABOUT CYCLONES.

Interesting Freaks of Frisky Wind Storms in Kansas.

While crossing Kansas somebody introduced the subject of cyclones. "Don't you live in perpetual dread of those devastating wind storms—those terrible manifestations of the angry elements, commonly called cyclones?" asked the Massachusetts parson.

"Well, not to any great extent," answered the passenger from Sedgwick county. "You see, we all have a cyclone hole in the back yard, and when the elements look a little too manifesting for comfort we take to kiver till the show's over. You don't mind cyclones a great deal after you've lived right among 'em for a while, and, besides, back east you only hear half the story. Cyclones, especially Kansas cyclones, have their good freaks as well as bad. They ain't always bent on devilment, but often do a man a big favor when he's in a tight place. Why, last summer, when Bill Simkins, whose ranch jines mine, was short of help at harvest time, a cyclone came prancing along just as he finished cutting his five hundred acres of wheat, gathered every sheaf up clean and stacked it round his thrashing machine. Purtiest stacks that were ever seen in Sedgwick county, too; people came thirty miles to see 'em."

"That reminds me of a favor a cyclone did me back in the spring of '78," said the passenger from Sumner county. "I was then living up on the Smoky Hill river, on rented land. The outlook wasn't very glittering, and so I made up my mind one morning to move down to Sumner county and take up a quarter section. I talked it over with my wife, and before long we had our traps together, ready to start. Well, that night a frolicsome but gentle and obliging cyclone picked up the house and entire outfit and set 'em down safe and sound almost before you could say 'scat!' on the best unoccupied hundred and sixty acres in Sumner. Swept up the old ranch clean; didn't leave behind a thing that was worth bringing away, and didn't shake a brick off the chimney. Found my ax and wood pile right by the back door, too, as usual."

"Did it move the well?" asked the consumptive passenger.

"Well, no," answered the passenger from Sumner county; "you see, the well belonged to the man who owned the ground."

"I remember that cyclone," said the editor of the Wakarusa Bird of Freedom. "But I have in mind another cyclone whose work was far more miraculous, and which saved many valuable lives, including my own.

"I was returning from Dodge City, where I had been attending as a delegate a state temperance convention. Just a little bit west of Florence the engineer spied a 'wild' freight coming round a curve toward us, with the throttle open.

"Some of the passengers, who were looking out of the windows, saw it almost at the same moment with the engineer, and their cheeks blanched, you may believe. We braced ourselves for the expected crash, and though probably it was not more than five seconds, it seemed to be a year before I could draw another breath. Then somebody looked out of the rear door, swung his hat and gave three cheers. The freight train, which a moment before had seemed to be coming down on us like the wolf on the fold, was now speeding away behind us toward the setting sun.

"A bob-tailed cyclone, which had been hovering in our rear for half an hour or so, had saved us.

"At the very moment our destruction had seemed inevitable the cyclone had caught up with us, our train had been lifted from the track, while the 'wild' freight had passed under us, and we had been set down again on the rails so softly that not even my pocket flask was broken. Then the cyclone had gone on its way rejoicing.

"Of course the engineer stuck to his post, and we pulled into Florence on time. Conductor Brady growled a little, because, as he said, the 'thunderbolt' was entitled to the right of way, and according to railroad regulations, the cyclone should have lifted the freight and allowed our train to pass under, but, you may believe, we were all mighty glad the thing turned out as well as it did, and none of us carried home any hard feelings against the bob-tailed cyclone."—Scott Way in Puck.

A Giveaway.

Young Wife (Vassar girl, putting hands over her husband's eyes)—You can't guess whom I am.

Husband—My little wifey.

Young Wife—You guessed by my voice.

Husband—No; by your grammar.—New York Evening Sun.

Domestic Needs.

Husband—Anything you want down town today, my dear? Shall I order some more of that self raising flour?

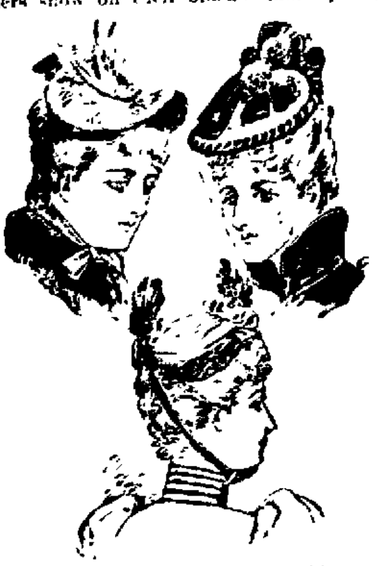
Wife—We have plenty left, but I wish you would stop at an intelligence office and order me a self raising servant girl.—New York Weekly.

WHAT SHE [illegible] WEAR.

STYLES THAT ARE APPROVED AT HOME AND ABROAD.

The New Winter Bonnets—Bonnets of Plate Form, Fan Shaped and Heart Shaped Bonnets—All About the New Trimmings Employed in Millinery.

The flat shape is a leading one in both hats and bonnets, though there are exceptions to suit women who do not appear well in the plate forms. Leading milliners show on their blocks small capotes,



LATEST STYLES IN MILLINERY

large velvet and felt capelines, berets and small felt hats—these latter for traveling.

The newest bonnets are many of them of the plate form and made of varied material—cloth, felt, velvet, bordered with either beaver or Astrakhan and trimmed with wings or ostrich plumes.

Bluette, the blue of the cornflower, is the latest rage in Paris, and a tiny velvet bonnet of this was trimmed with osprey. Terry velvet as ribbon and as material for crowns is largely used.

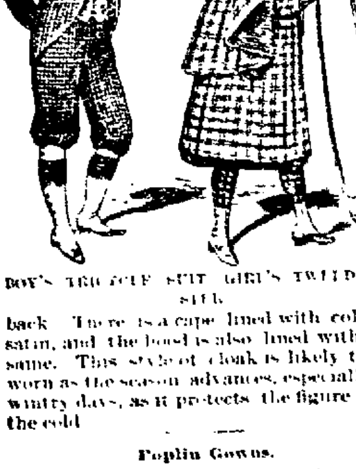
One of the new trimmings is a close set band of gold or silver braid, covered with tiny spangles of contrasting metal, sometimes steel. Bows, wings and butterflies are clustered at the backs of the bonnets or on their crowns. Leather trimmings are used, also a great deal of jet. Cloth is much used in millinery, especially for crowns of bonnets.

The fan shaped bonnet, formed of organ plaits in velvet or cloth, with jetted borderings, is in favor, and so is the new heart shaped bonnet. In the accompanying cut are illustrated three charming styles. Fig 1 is the fac simile of a bonnet made for the Princess of Wales. It is of green felt with a beaver edge and a torsade of green velvet beneath the brim. A blackbird appears on the crown, the strings are of brown velvet. Fig 2 shows an apple green cloth hat, with a red velvet edge around the brim. A cluster of black velvet and black feather pompons at the back furnish its garniture. Fig 3 is a bonnet in mandarin velvet with a bandeau of sealskin. The fancy aigrets are tipped with blue, the strings are of brown velvet. In New York, where "bonnet teas" are just now fashionable, it is the aim of each lady guest to wear a hat or bonnet that will rival her friends' in either picturesqueness or art effect.

Outdoor Costumes for Children.

In the illustration here given is shown a boy's tricycle suit, which is not only convenient and comfortable to the wearer, but pleasing in effect. The model illustrated is made in mixed tweed. The coat is loose and the knee breeches fasten with leather bands. Leather leggins worn over the boots complete the costume.

The remaining figure represents an ulster of English make for a little girl. It is in checked tweed with a graceful hood at the back. There is a cape lined with colored satin, and the hood is also lined with the same. This style of cloak is likely to be worn as the season advances, especially on wintry days, as it protects the figure from the cold.



BOY'S TRICYCLE SUIT. GIRL'S TWEED ULSTER.

Poplin Gowns.

The Queen of Roumania has shown an admiration for fine Irish poplins by having some beautiful gowns made in this fabric, which looks well, falls in artistic folds, and wears a great deal better than the average black silk. Some of the finest poplins are brocaded with a second color. This gives an effect of peculiar richness. Among handsome new shades are faience blue, azalea, a golden fawn, ripe corn yellow and turquois blue.

Echoes from Paris.

In the matter of sleeves modistes are for once conservative and insist that they shall be worn high at the shoulder and very [illegible] round the wrist.

[illegible] when capes become a necessity and those who are compelled to wear them will be reconciled to the fact [illegible] headdresses which just [illegible] are [illegible] passementerie [illegible]

[illegible]

All [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] and there are many dark haired women who will gladly welcome it again.

PHYSIOLOGY AND [illegible]

Facts About Koch's [illegible] Remedy As Applied [illegible]

A very satisfactory [illegible] facts far [illegible] known [illegible] about Koch's discovery of a remedy for consumption is given in a concise summary of a preliminary statement of results made recently by Dr Koch in a German medical journal. According to this, Dr Koch simply states that the remedy is a brownish, transparent liquid, which must be injected subcutaneously, preferably on the back between the shoulderblades and the lumbar region. Small doses do not affect the health of human beings, while with tuberculous patients the reaction consists in an attack of fever, which usually begins with rigors. This is accompanied by pain in the limbs, coughing, great fatigue and often nausea, the whole beginning four or five hours after the injection, and lasting about twelve. In case of any tuberculous affection on the surface local reactions take place, which in the case of lupus result after one or more injections, in the falling off of the lupus tissue, leaving a clean red cicatrix behind. The symptoms above described occurred in all cases in which a tuberculous process was present, showing the remedy to be at least an aid to diagnosis.

In what way the cure takes place cannot as yet be stated with certainty; but Koch believes that the remedy does not kill the bacilli, but the tuberculous tissue, and that it may be necessary to even resort to surgical aid to remove the dead tissue if the organism affected cannot throw it off. Glandular, bone and joint tuberculosis were similarly treated, with the same result as in lupus—of a speedy cure in recent and light cases and slow improvement in others. With consumptive patients the dose had to be still further reduced. The results were that those in the first stage of phthisis were freed from all symptoms of the disease and might be pronounced cured, patients with cavities not much developed were improved, and only those with large cavities in their lungs showed no improvement in condition. Relapses may occur, of course. A most important point is the need of early application of the method.

"Crying in the Wilderness."

Crying in the wilderness is to advise the majority of the stiffnecks about their health or hygienic habits. Tell that pale, anaemic girl to cut her staylace, leave off tea, go to bed early, take plenty of fresh air and exercise, and lead a rational life generally, and you cry in the wilderness for only stones and the clouds to hear you. Warn that bull necked, florid man of the evil effects of port and brandy, sherry and whisky, and he stops his ears with wax—for all that he is not Ulysses. Warn, too, that nervous, highly wrought student against the evils of the midnight oil, wet towels round a burning head, strong tea, and all the other mad methods to secure "passing," and destroy health and perhaps sanity, and here again you are crying in the wilderness, and only wasting your breath for nothing.

No one will attend to the advice of another about health; some will not attend even to their chosen doctors. They have a doctor as an African has his mentor—his medicine man. They listen to what he says, send his prescriptions to be made up, pay the druggist's bill when it comes in and fling the stuff itself out of the window. The doctor has cried in the wilderness, and death has been the bittern to hear him—the patient would not.

Lancing Without Pain.

The pain caused by opening small abscesses is almost always intense, for a few moments at least, and many people naturally shrink from the surgeon's knife and prefer to bear with the troublesome visitations until they open themselves. It cannot be generally known that by the use of a spray it is possible to so deaden sensibility over limited areas that such operations as lancing boils, enlarged glands, felons and the like can be done almost, if not quite, painlessly. A spray which Medical and Surgical Reporter recommends as effective is composed of ten parts of chloroform, fifteen parts of sulphuric ether and one part of menthol. This produces local anaesthesia in about one minute, and the same lasts for four or five minutes.

The Noonday Nap as a Medicine.

A physician recommends a short nap in the middle of the day, for those who can take it, as a beneficial addition to the night's sleep. It divides the working time, gives the nervous system a fresh hold on life and enables one to do more than make up for the time so occupied. A caution is given against the indulgence of too long a sleep at such a time, under a penalty of disagreeable relaxation. There has been much discussion regarding the after dinner nap, many believing it to be injurious, but it is, nevertheless, natural and wholesome.

A Shampoo Mixture.

A mixture for shampooing the head consists of one pint of water, five cents' worth of powdered castile soap, two tablespoonfuls of alcohol, half the quantity of borax and the yelk of two eggs. Advantages claimed for it are that the eggs contain iron, which will be absorbed; the soap and borax will cleanse the skin, and the alcohol supply heat to prevent taking cold.

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE.

"Deliciously Sad"—An Antidote for That Misused Phrase "Awfully Jolly."

Every authority on etiquette and the proprieties of conversation takes occasion to inveigh against the indiscriminate use of the adverb "awfully" apparently with small effect. As told in The Boston Post a gentleman the younger members of whose family are given to using senseless phrases, succeeded in bringing the absurdity of the habit forcibly home to them. With them every new thing was "awfully" sweet, every social gathering they attended "awfully" jolly.

One evening he came home with a budget of news. A friend of his had failed in business. He spoke of the incident as "deliciously" sad. He had ridden uptown in the car with a man of fascinating talent and wit, whom he described as "horribly" entertaining, and, to cap the climax, he spoke of some beef which had been set before him at [illegible] as "divinely" rancid. [illegible] said his eldest [illegible] were out of your [illegible] least may hear," he said [illegible] to follow [illegible] "awfully" ran [illegible] It seems [illegible] one better [illegible]

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A [illegible] in Language.

[illegible] the use of "on." Don't say, "He got on to a chair, a horse, a veranda," etc. Omit "to."

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Rev. Charles S. Daniel, a Pennsylvania clergyman, is accused of waltzing in beer parks, "getting property without apparent resources," and other unpastorly antics. He is being tried. In the language of the poet, "A Daniel come to judgment, yea, a Daniel."

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It looks as though the Free Will Baptists were going to put their faith in practice as they are about to build a floating church. It will be used on the Mississippi river, tying up at convenient points between St. Paul and New Orleans.

The laws of health are taught in our schools; but not in a way to be much practical benefit and are never illustrated by living examples, which in many cases could easily be done. If some scholar, who had just contracted a cold was brought before the school, so that all could hear the dry loud cough, and know its significance; see the thin white coating on the tongue and later, as the cold developes, see the profuse watery expectoration and thin watery discharge from the nose, not one of them would ever forget what the first symptoms of a cold were. The scholar should then be given Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely, that all might see that even a severe cold could be cured in one or two days, or at least greatly mitigated, when properly treated as soon as the first symptoms appear. For sale by Flocken & Co., Druggists.

Poetic Wisdom.

Dauber (struggling artist)—What do you suppose the poet meant by the words, "Art is long, but life is fleeting?"

Frank Friend (examining Dauber's last picture)—I think likely the poet meant that life is too short for some folks to learn to paint.—New York Weekly.

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The Book Did Not Say.

Teacher (geography class)—How many inhabitants has Alaska?

Pupil—About 31,000.

"What proportion of these are white?"

"About one seventh."

"Of what color are the remainder?"

(After some hesitation)—"Don't know. They never wash."—Chicago Tribune.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is today enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free, at Flocken's drug store.

Roman Fever.

Rome, the capital of the kingdom of Italy, the center round which the Roman Catholic church revolves, has the character, not undeserved, of being the most unhealthy of the capitals of Europe. Munich has always the specter of typhoid fever haunting it, and Stuttgart can by no means show a clean bill of health; but in Rome not only does fever of one sort or other riot in the summer, but it also broods in the winter. No sooner does the sun begin to gain power, the flowers to open, and the birds to sing, than those not inured to malaria pack their portmanteaus and depart.

Too often visitors to Rome in the winter and early spring carry away with them, if not prostrated on the spot, the germs of typhoid, and as all the world goes to Rome, the curiosity shop of the world, it is well that the causes of the insalubrity of the city should be well understood, in order that, as far as possible, precautions should be taken against the fever. To remedy the evil lies not in their hands, but in those of the municipality, which is eagerly laboring to make Rome so hideous as to deter travelers from the desire of revisiting it, and as yet has not done sufficient in the right direction to correct the deadly evil.—Chambers' Journal.

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DAUGHTERS OF EVE.

Mme. Patti-Nicolini is delighted with her latest toy, the little private theatre at Craig-y-Nos castle.

The first woman ever elected to an office in Missouri is Annie Jasper, who has just been made the clerk of Jasper county.

Miss Winifred Sweet, sister of Miss Ada Sweet, of Chicago, and a graduate of Smith college, recently visited the leper colony at Molokai.

Lady Plowden, wife of the ex lord mayor of London, trounced a chambermaid and threw a bell boy down stairs in a hotel at San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. Florence Finch-Kelly, the Boston newspaper writer and editor, is a Kansas girl by birth. She is slight and dark and an indefatigable worker.

Mrs. Philip D. Armour, wife of the Chicago monopolist, is famous in Chicago as a housekeeper. She is especially expert in all the intricacies of the culinary art.

Ann Devine, who claims to be 107 years old, and whose age is actually, it is said, about 100, was jailed at Newark, N. J., under a ninety days' sentence as a disorderly person.

Mme. Barrios, widow of the late Central American dictator, has a magnificent collection of diamonds. The greater part of the jewels were heirlooms of the kingdom of Guatemala.

Miss May Garrett has sent to the Peabody institute, Baltimore, a very valuable painting from her father's collection. The subject represents Christ being carried to the sepulcher.

Miss Fannie Hayes, daughter of ex-President Hayes, is a decided brunette, neither too tall nor too short, with a good face and pleasant manner. Her garments are made according to the latest fashion plates.

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie is not a pretty woman, according to a recent description. Her hair is dark and her features somewhat irregular, but she has a slender, erect young figure and a pleasing face.

One of Boston's pretty women is Miss Hermione Richards, who has been called the "Belle of Roxbury." She is a brunette of tall and graceful figure, with an exquisitely modeled face, large brown eyes and a profusion of brown curly hair.

All who see Dr. Alice Bennett, the attractive as well as talented physician of the Norristown hospital, for the first time, are immediately struck with her resemblance to Mrs. J. Dundas Lippincott. They would easily pass anywhere for sisters.

Mrs. Lynn Stevens (who was known forty years ago by the name of Yolande Marie Louise Duvernay, as one of the greatest dancers in Europe) has defrayed the entire expense of a $500,000 Roman Catholic church recently erected, given principally by the Duke of Norfolk at Cambridge, England.

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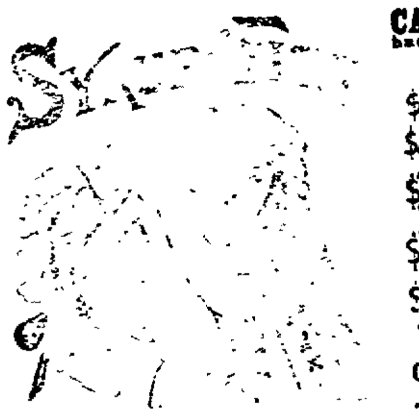
Friend—Ah, I see—he intends to destroy it.—Yankee Blade.



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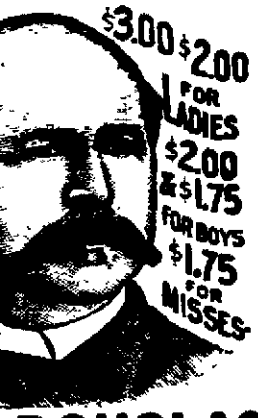

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(In effect on and after Nov. [illegible], 1890.)

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No. [illegible]	12 42 a.m.	No. 10	[illegible] a.m.
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No. 9	12 [illegible] a.m.	No. 18	9 52 p.m.
No. 17	[illegible] a.m.	No. [illegible]	4 [illegible] p.m.
No. 81, local	7 [illegible] a.m.	No. 84, local	[illegible] p.m.
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SOUTH.		NORTH.	
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All trains run daily except Nos. 4 and 53. Trains [illegible] and [illegible] run only between Marion and Columbus.

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WEST.		EAST.	
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—For fine perfumery, manicure and toilet cases go to Foye.

—A charming array of juvenile books at Wiant's, for all ages.

—The People's Store shows the finest line of parlor and hanging lamps.

—Beautifully bound, presentation books for the holidays, at Wiant's.

—Remember, Foye runs no side show or lottery business, but gives you 10 to 15¢ off on all goods for cash.

—In I. B. Carlisle's ad., by typographical error, we made currants read 6½¢ which should read 7½¢.

—Florida oranges, the finest in the land and at reasonable prices.
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—Turney & Smith are showing a choice collection of diamonds for the Christmas trade. They should be seen.

—Dolls, doll heads and bodies, blocks, drums, hobby horses and toys of every description, are found at The People's Store.

—If you want to make your wife happy with a useful present as a holiday gift, buy her a nice set of dishes, at The People's Store. w-f-sam.

—Call and get our catalogue of ten cent sheet music, containing over 2,200 vocal and instrumental pieces.
22t5 H. ACKERMAN.

—Large dressed doll to be given away Christmas morning. A ticket given with every 25¢ worth of goods bought. W. A. SALLERS & Co.

—We are headquarters for fresh oysters, can or bulk, and of as good quality as are taken out of the water. 23t2 MOORE & DEDRICK.

—W. L. Ellis & Co.'s extra quality select oysters, extra quality standard oysters on sale only at I. B. Carlisle's, 115 south Main street. [22t5twfmat.]

—Most every good housekeeper likes to set the table with nice dishes. The largest stock and the best quality of dishes are on sale at The People's Store.

—The depository of the Marion county branch of the American Bible Society is at the People's Store, in care of J. C. Markert, and those wishing to purchase bibles can do so.

—Best select oysters, 45¢ per can.
Best standard oysters, 35¢ per can.
Standard oysters, 30¢ per can.
I. B. CARLISLE,
23t3 115 south Main street.

—A small but carefully selected stock of Indian baskets, comprising hampers, waste paper, silverware and card baskets, collar and handkerchief boxes, etc., are for sale at the residence of Mrs. C. P. Gailey. These baskets are entirely new in this locality and make very handsome Christmas presents.

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Furniture House. Look in the window and then go in and

BUY YOUR FRIEND A PRESENT

—Water color cards, with rough surface, for painting, at Wiant's.

—Mrs. Langley is confined to her home on west South street with sickness.

—The C., H. V. and T. pay car rolled in this morning and made the boys smile.

—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Sweney spent a part of last week with friends at Lima.

—Webster Chandlee has returned to the city, in the interest of the Gamewell company.

—E. A. Thompson, residing on north East street, is confined to his home with sickness.

—One disconsolate drunk was locked up at the city prison Tuesday night, and was fined $4.90 by Mayor Dudley.

—The Marion county commissioners joined the Hardin county board at the county line today, to discuss bridge matters.

—H. Barron leaves tonight for Philadelphia, Pa., where he will join Mrs. Barron and will remain until the first of the year.

—Mrs. Ben Merchant, it is understood, is dangerously sick. She was recovering from an attack of pneumonia, when taken with a relapse.

—George Haines, an employe of the separator department of the Huber shops, is seriously sick at his home on Grand avenue with lung trouble.

—We have a very large assortment of candies for the holidays. We sell at prices that you can afford to buy.
MOORE & DECRICK.

—I am selling Arbuckle's, Lion and all other kinds roasted coffees, except Javas 25 cents.
23t3 J. G. LEFFLER, the Grocer.

—Engine dispatcher Jerry Wimples, of the Erie, and Calvin P. Skinner, who holds the same position on the C. and E., were in the city Monday in consultation.

—C. L. Weeden left for Cleveland on train 8 this morning, to purchase additional tools and machinery, necessary to meet the demands of his growing trade.

—The funeral of the late Andy Ritzhaupt is announced to occur at the German Evangelical Lutheran church on east South street, Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

—The many friends of Miss Mattie Hill, who visits here frequently, will regret to learn of the death of her father, Dr. Hill, at Western Star, Summit county, last Sunday evening.

—By order of the Union, a full attendance of members of the W. C. T. U. are requested, at the regular meeting tomorrow, Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. L. H. UHLER, Sec.

—There will be no court this week the cases that were assigned having been re-assigned for next week, commencing Monday. The reason of the change is that Judge Smalley is holding court in Upper Sandusky, while Judge Norris is at Findlay.

—John Munsell is suffering considerably from the effects of his fall Tuesday morning. His two fractured ribs were broken loose from the spine, and his lungs were also injured. If inflammation can be avoided his physician thinks his recovery is assured.

—A meeting of ladies will be held this evening at the temperance room, back of People's Store, on South street, under the auspices of the Ohio Woman Suffrage Association. Miss Sarah Winthrop Smith, of Cincinnati, national secretary for the state of Ohio, will speak on the relation of woman suffrage to social purity. It is hoped that all women who are interested in moral questions will be present. Meeting begins at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Probate Court.

John W. Kraner, administrator, filed sale bill of the estate of Frederick Hettler, deceased.

Hearing on contempt of court of Jonas Concklin.

J. A. Mouser, assignee of W. G. Short, filed report of sale of real estate; sale confirmed.

David E. Kirts and Cora F. Smeltzer, licensed to marry.

George L. Ulsh and Anna Wish licensed to marry.

Free Baptist Church.

By order of the official board of the F. B. church, the membership is requested to assemble in the basement of the church, at 7 p. m. on Monday, Dec. 29th, to vote on the matter of installing Rev. W. P. Hale, who has been with us one year and whose engagement has now ended, as the pastor of the above named church. A full attendance is positively necessary on that occasion.

To Close Out.

Germantown and Spanish yarns at 10¢.

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Fancy feathers, plumes and tips less than cost.

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A Farmers' Fight Ends in Death Nearly Two Years Afterward.

MUNCIE, Ind., Dec. 17.—A year and a half ago Daniel Fritz and Joseph Kurts, respectable farmers, near Yorktown, engaged in an altercation over some stock the former had running at large. The men engaged in a terrific fight, in which Kurts was badly injured. Fritz was tried in the circuit court, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill. He was found guilty of only assault and battery.

Since the altercation Kurts has been an invalid, until Monday, when he was relieved from his long suffering by death. Steps are now being taken that will likely terminate in the arrest of Fritz on the charge of murder.

Coroner Driscoll's post-mortem inquest on the remains of Hiram Kurts, at Yorktown, found that a piece from the lower end of the spinal bone was broken off, causing gangrene and death, as a result from a kick from Daniel Fritz. Coroner Driscoll made an affidavit against Fritz, charging him with murder, and he will be arrested.

New Thing in Politics.

EMPORIA, Kan., Dec. 17.—President Holden, of the National Farmers' Alliance, has returned from Ocala. He says that the Citizens' National Alliance will be a secret political organization, similar to the Farmers' Alliance, and its membership will be drawn from people in cities and towns who sympathize with the Farmers' Alliance. Ralph Beaumont, the prominent Knight of Labor from New York, is largely responsible for its formation. Headquarters will be opened at Washington and a National organ established. Mr. Holden says there are 300 Citizens' Alliances now in Kansas.

Holiday Excursions.

Round trip tickets will be sold at all stations on the Erie railroad system, Buffalo and Southwestern, N. Y. P. and O. railroad and the Chicago and Erie railroad, at the low rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1890, and January 1st, 1891. Good to return up to and including January 5th, 1891. No excursion tickets will be sold for less than 25 cents whole and 15 cents half fare. For further information call on or address M. B. Dickerson, agent, Marion, Ohio.

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MR. SAM OPPENHEIMER, ESQ.,

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Suits.
Overcoats.
Hats and Caps.
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Neckwear and Suspenders.
Mufflers and Umbrellas.
Dress and wool shirts.
Gloves and Mitts.
Silk H'kdfs.
Socks.

I want you to dispose of these goods as soon as possible to the people of Marion county. Be sure to sell them way down in price, mark the price on every article and stick to it the same as you have during the year. Follow these directions and perhaps you may reach this neighborhood after all: if you do, call in and see me. Yours Respectfully.

SANTA CLAUS.

P. S.—My headquarters for the season will be at your place, Bennett building.

A GRAND OPENING

Of all kinds of Holiday Goods at D. Yake's Dry Goods Store.

Ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs from the very cheapest to the very best at prices that will surprise you. A handsome line of black, white and cold silk mufflers, silk head rests, silk and madras throws, handsome white aprons, a pure black silk handkerchief for ladies and gents, fine table linen sets, napkins to match. As fine a line of towls as you ever looked at. In fact you will find anything you wish to make a handsome Xmas present. Ladies call and see these goods before the assortment is broken.

D. YAKE.

BELOW is-is a list of the few of the many patrons of Flockens Pharmacy that availed themselves of securing some of their beautiful steel etchings and albums:

W. H. Gordon,
Chas. Garberson,
Fred Peters,
Enos Shively,
Morris Finley,
T. W. Scott,
J. W. Woodard,
W. Yake,
J. W. Walker,
M. Mealy,
W. L. Clark,
Mrs. J. D. Bishop,
Mrs. Arthur Bryant,
Mrs. Geo. Christian,
Mrs. Minnie Leech,
Mrs. H. Weber,
The Shanty Club,
Miss W. O. Stull,
Miss Nona Fahey,
Miss Emma Strine,
Miss F. Thompson
Mrs. McBride,
August Stark,
Miiss M. Sulivan.

Remember these presents are donated to their patrons.

H. M. AULT'S

Fire and Tornado

INSURANCE AGENCY!

OFFICE: Bennett Block, First Stairway East of Postoffice.

—Turney's time.

—Cunningham, the plumber.

—Typewriter's supplies, carbon paper, ribbons and papers, at Wiant's.

—Fresh bread daily.
1767 J. W. THAW.

—Buy your Christmas presents at W. A. Sellers & Co's and get ticket on doll. 2-8tf.

—Mustard Sardines, 10c per can. Sardines 4 cans for 25c at I. B. Carlisle's. 115 south Main street. 1-w-t

—Call at L. E. Rupp's for your fresh candies, nuts of all kinds, fruits and cigars. Oysters, can or bulk. 1862

—We have a large line of dolls yet, that we will sell at reduced prices until Christmas. W. A. Sellers & Co. Union Block, S. Main street.

—If you will try a can of the W. Ellis oysters you will use no other. The quality and price guaranteed.
22totwfmtaw I. B. CARLISLE.

WE VERY cheerfully furnish prices on our splendid line of Holiday Goods, and comparisons are invited to values in Photograph Albums, Books, Juvenile Books, Beautifully Bound Poets, Handsome Card Cases in fine leather, Plush Cases, Fountain Pens, Booklets, Calendars, Gents' Bill and Pocketbooks, while in Bibles we make a specialty of large print, teachers' and family books, which call forth commendation for the fine line shown at

C. G WIANT'S.

GET THE BEST
Hard or Soft

COAL

Linsley & Lawrence
West Street, Between Railroads.

—The Erie pays its employes Thursday.

—A handsome variety of leather card cases at Wiant's.

—All the desirable novelties in the best plated and sterling silverware at Turney & Smith's.

—The largest variety of dinner, tea, fruit, pudding and toilet sets are shown at The People's Store.

—Subscriptions at publishers' prices received for hundreds of periodicals, at Wiant's, without extra charge.

—If you want to see an elegant display of fine albums and plush goods, stop in at the The People's Store.

—Holiday buyers should not fail to look over the elegant line of jeweiry and silverware at Turney & Smith's, the leading jewelers.

—I am selling Arbuckle's, Lion and all other kinds roasted coffees, except Java, 25 cents.
2313 J. G. LEFFLER, the Grocer.

—The magnificent plate glass in the Cummin Memorial was furnished by J. Hood & Son. The work in getting them in place safely was no little task. One window is the largest single glass in the city.

—We meet the very lowest prices and sell goods that you can depend upon for we are here to stay and make our guarantee good. See our novelties in silverware. TURNEY & SMITH,
Leading Jewelers, south Main st.

—Now is your time to buy your holiday presents of Dr. Mincer, 2d door west of Hotel Marion. All goods in the optical line he can sell as cheap as the cheapest. Opera glasses and all optical goods of the finest workmanship at prices that would surprise you all. 19tf DR. B. MINCER.

THE

FUR OPENING!

At our Dry Goods House is the chief of all Holiday attractions. The magnificent display given by

WALTER BUHL & CO.

Was shown to a throng of admirers all day today and there were many

Christmas Purchases

It is a rare opportunity for Fur purchases, either for Holiday Presents or bargains in Fur Garments

TOMORROW ONLY!

The opening closes tomorrow. The people of Marion owe it to themselves that none miss this opportunity.

FRASH'S DRY GOODS HOUSE.

—Ed Landon spent Tuesday in Columbus, on business.

—Mrs. Ed Durfee is spending a couple days in Columbus.

—Mrs. J. M. Wagstaff is visiting her parents in Richwood today

—George Peters, who was hurt in the C. and E. yards some time ago, has recovered and will go back to work this week.

—Ed Beale is still laid off from duty on account of sickness. Jno. Essex, Jr., is at his desk in the Erie office during his absence.

—Miss Minnie Stose returned this morning from Chicago, where she has spent the past three weeks the guest of friends.

—Andrew Uncapher was recently at Leechburg, Pa., to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Catharine Rearick, who died at the age of 68 years.

—The funeral of Benjamin Stephens occurred at his late home on north East street today, at 10 o'clock. The remains were taken to Little Sandusky for burial.

—Mrs. J. J. Hane has gone to Auburndale, Mass., to join her daughter, Miss Alice, and from there both of them will go to East Hampton, L. I., to spend the holidays with Rev. Stokes and family.

—O. P. Odell, the drayman, is limping around scarcely able to navigate, as the result of contact with the hind end of one of his mules. Odell was draying with his mule team Tuesday and one of them kicked him on the leg while he was seated upon his dray.

—C. L. Weeden, of the LeGrand Boiler and Machine Co., was at Richwood on Monday last, and closed a contract with the proprietor of the Richwood Gazette for one of their boilers and engines, also required machinery, to make their press room a No. 1 steam power concern.

—Findlay Republican: The members of the Elks Northwestern band have taken up a subscription among themselves and purchased a lot in the cemetery for Frederick Johannes, on which to bury his late wife. Mr. Johannes was for a long time a member of the band and was at one time their leader.

—Dr. Raffensperger had a strange customer this morning in the person of a little girl who had a set of her mother's false teeth, which she wanted to sell, probably to get money for the holidays. This was almost equal to the old German lady who inherited a set of teeth that had been worn by her lantern-jawed husband, and took them to Mr. Raffensperger to have them fitted in her own mouth.

—John Smith, the clever baggage master at the C. and E., gave a grand party Tuesday evening in honor of his son Clarence. An enjoyable evening was spent, and the dignified John and his estimable wife did everything possible to entertain their guests. At a late hour of the night the small but select party departed for their homes, while Mr. Smith went back to relieve Billy Klinefelter, who was hustling the baggage during his absence.

—Huntington Democrat: An order has been issued by the Chicago and Erie officials requiring all the train dispatchers to travel over their divisions one week each on local freight trains in order to learn thoroughly the location of all switches, side tracks, crossings, grades, etc., so that they will know thoroughly every point of the track. They will go out one at a time. G. K. Jeffries being chosen to go first. He will start in a day or two. It is undoubtedly a good idea.

Don't Do It.

Don't throw away money by buying something that will be looked at a time or two and then thrown aside. Select your Christmas presents from articles that have value to them, that will be a lasting pleasure to the recipient.

Kleinmaier Bros., the strictly one price clothiers, are showing some handsome presents for gentlemen and boys at very low prices. Fine, medium and common suits and overcoats, hats and caps, dress shirts, silk umbrellas, new neckwear, mufflers, jackets, handkerchiefs, suspenders, gloves and rubber coats. All new goods bought especially for the holiday trade. Only eight days till Christmas, so come early.

Royal Arcanum.

Every member is requested to attend the next meeting Thursday night, Dec 18th, at 7 o'clock. Election of officers and other important business. Brothers, the welfare of the council depends on you being there. Council room, McMurray block, opposite postoffice.
By order Regent. 2312

Confirmed.

The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeable liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers the California Fig Syrup Company

Mystic Circle Meeting.

Members of the Mystic Circle order are urged to be present at the regular meeting on Wednesday evening Dec [illegible] The election of officers will take place besides the transaction of other business. [illegible]
G. W. [illegible] W. R.

Attention, Knights of Honor.

All members of Marion Lodge, No. [illegible] K. of H., are requested to meet at the hall tonight at 7 o'clock [illegible] arrangements for the funeral of our deceased Brother, Andrew [illegible]
J. G. T[illegible]

—Just opened at The [illegible] A new assortment of [illegible] and porcelain dinner sets

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Capes and Muffs

Coney, Astrachan, Monkey and Beaver, and Muffs to match everything, all at our usual Low Prices.

FOR GENTLEMEN:

Smoking Jackets, Night Shirts, White Shirts, Initial Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Kid Gloves, Socks, Suspenders, Neckties, Underwear, Etc., Etc.

WARNER & EDWARDS

THE CHRISTMAS CALL

D. A. FRANK & CO.

Desire Christmas buyers who intend to spend a dollar in the Dry Goods Line to first call at their Dry Goods House and get a standard for bargains. Theirs are the low prices by which all others must be compared.

Speci'l Bargains

We are offering some especially attractive goods and prices in dress goods.

69 CENTS—Our black Armure silks go on the counter at the striking low figure of 69 cents.

87 CENTS—Black Faille Francaise is offered at 87 cents, a price that can't be undersold.

75 CENTS—All Colored Faille Francaise are offered at exactly 75 cents—a price that buyers know is low.

25 CENTS—Here is the startler! All our plaids and stripes in woolen dress goods are reduced from 48 cents to 25 cents.

We have a splendid line of trimmings and black velvets at the original low prices, despite the advance.

Handkerchiefs!

We have a splendid line of embroidered silk handkerchiefs at

35 CENTS,

and a large and varied assortment of [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] fancy towels.

LADIES' PURSES,

We have an elegant lot of ladies' purses and shopping bags, all the latest novelties.

Fine umbrellas, with 4 steel sticks and tight rolling. Prices lower than anybody.

Our $5 Cloth Jackets Are Best in the Market.

Mind, they are new, this season's styles, and no one need buy back numbers to get low prices, for we are selling cheaper than any house in the city.

Fine Line Best Plush Garments

Sacrificed in order to sell them. They must go while seasonable. Look at them and get prices. They are all puffed shoulders---correct in style.

See Us Before You Buy Furs!

D. A. FRANK & CO.,

White Front. - - Masonic Block.

OPEN EVEEY EVENING.

LEADING OPTICIAN

—OF—

CENTRAL OHIO.

DR. B. MINCER, the Eminent Optician, has settled here permanently, having rented a room in Hotel Marion Block, East Center Street, and opened a line of Optical goods [illegible] equal to any city establishment. With [illegible] years of practical experience [illegible] [illegible] whether they buy or not.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE STAR

OYSTERS

[illegible] Oyster House in Marion is

THE ENGLISH KITCHEN.

[illegible] can or served [illegible]

B. HALL, Proprietor.